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We are indebted to Samuel Laughlin, Esq., for a copy of the London Times of May 31st.

**A GRAIN TRANSACTION.**—Gen. Brown lately sold his entire wheat crop, consisting of some seventy-five acres of good wheat, to be delivered in the fall, and threshed, at the rate of \$1.15 per bushel. John M. Rogers, of the Graton Mills, is the purchaser.—*Graton Sentinel.*

We congratulate the General on having made a very advantageous contract. The prospects are that wheat will not be worth \$1.15 per bushel after harvest. In fact, old wheat has lately been sold in this market at one dollar per bushel, for which some months ago \$1.35 had been refused.

**THE REV. DR. MOORE,** president of the Wesleyan College at Cincinnati, who made the prayer in the Ohio Republican Convention, showed that he looked upon his duties as practical, by petitioning that the Almighty would "so direct the formation of the platform that it should inspire friend and foe alike with confidence in its integrity and respect for its principles, and should assure the Chief Magistrate that Ohio's great heart beat true to his noble, unselfish and consistent endeavor to be the President, not of a party, but of a people."

**The Dawn of Better Times.**

The New York Bulletin of Saturday, a thoughtful and conservative business journal, highly esteemed as authority in commercial circles, has an able and interesting review of the business situation, in which it expresses the opinion that now is the time for men of means to take hold of the bargains offering on every side in almost every species of business. The Bulletin (no journal having better opportunities) "believes that prices are now on rock bottom—that the worst of the panic has been seen—and that henceforward we are sure to see an improvement. Such opportunities as only happen once in a life time are now present. It says that:

"The sources of investment present themselves in full force. The real estate market is full of bargains such as are not likely to be offered again within the next quarter of a century. The comparative suspension of building for the last five years has produced a comparative scarcity of houses that will find a marked expression as soon as the wage-earning class get fully employed, and while the costs of building materials and the wages of mechanics are much lower than they can be expected to remain. Throughout the country, there are factory properties purchasable at prices which would enable buyers to prove them so as to compete with the most successful manufacturers. There are some thirty thousand miles of railroad property built too early in anticipation of transportation needs of the country, but since the construction of which some six or seven millions have been added to our population; and most of this can be procured at thirty to forty per cent of its original cash cost. Rarely has any country presented such an opportunity for profitable investment as is afforded by judicious selection from this great mass of bankrupt properties. The mercantile opportunities also are exceptional. A very large portion of the mercantile community have been forced out of the ranks of trading competitors and must henceforth be producers as well as consumers, thereby increasing the product of the country and reducing wages in mercantile service. Those therefore who enter business now, do so with the minimum of competition, with low prices for goods, with a clean ledger, with conservative credits, with low wages and ready cash, and every condition has cleared out a large percentage of weak buyers."

Those who are first to comprehend the present opportunities and to put their long held means into employment will hold the best chance for the future. This early action, however, requires sagacity and courage; which the majority do not possess; and therefore it will probably be found that there is no general eagerness to employ capital until the intelligent few have expected to exhibit a sudden revival, with an attendant rise in values and in wages, and everybody will wonder they did not see what was coming and blame themselves for not acting at an earlier stage.

**The Last of Bryant.**

Nature welcomed Mr. Bryant's body to its final resting-place in Roanoke yesterday. The whole landscape was in holiday attire, and it did not seem strange to the little company assembled in the pretty burial-ground upon the Long Island hillside to leave the poet there in company with the fields and the flowers, the woods and the sunshine which he so faithfully and reverently loved while he walked among men. He was laid next the burial-place of his wife, and the children of the village gathered round the coffin with flowers. The fathers and mothers had gathered from the village with moistened eyes to witness this touching and unselfish tribute to the neighbor and friend whom they all loved and revered. The religious exercises at the grave were conducted with simplicity and grace, and the words of the poet were read with a voice that seemed to come from the heart of the departed. The funeral was a scene of deep sorrow, and the words of the poet were read with a voice that seemed to come from the heart of the departed.

**The Western Corn Crop.**

The long continued wet weather throughout the West is having a very serious effect upon the young corn crop. A correspondent, writing from Hannibal, Mo., says, "That we are about to have a poor corn crop the coming season seems more than probable, yet it is too early to venture a positive opinion. There is a large contraction in the area planted there is no doubt, and every favorable circumstance from this time forward to maturity will be necessary for a good crop. Millions of acres of corn ground are even now covered with water. Yesterday I passed through four thunder storms, one of which was hail, that fell in sufficient quantity to cover the ground, and the feeling among farmers is certainly quite gloomy just now. Equally unfavorable dispatches are published in the Western papers, and in many cases it is reported the farmers have abandoned all hopes of a corn crop."

## Letter From a Wheeling Boy out West.

Waukegan, Wis., June 16.

Editors Intelligencer:

I write you this afternoon from Waukegan. The Saratoga of the west. Waukegan is an Indian name meaning "a little fox," and is pronounced in three syllables, thus Wau-ke-sha, giving "a" the broad sound in both places. This is a thriving village of 3,000 inhabitants, beautifully located in a charming valley between sloping hills, and at this season of the year it presents a truly magnificent appearance. It is twenty miles west of Milwaukee on the Prairie du Chien division of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad. The village contains many substantial business blocks and residences, and is justly celebrated for its numerous Mineral Springs, the waters of which are the acknowledged cure for all kidney troubles. Waukegan is becoming the most popular summer resort in the northwest. The principal springs here are Bethesda Sulfur Fountain and the Glenn Mineral Springs, besides many others without name. Bethesda has a greater reputation than any of the others. Col. Richard Dunbar, the energetic owner and proprietor, has expended a great deal of money in advertising it throughout the country, and the result is the fact that it is a very great, and it is still increasing. The Col. informs me that he ships Bethesda Water from thirty-five to fifty barrels a week. The water has no unpleasant taste and many effects of allaying thirst when other drinks fail. The Spring is located in a beautiful park just at the edge of the village, and is sheltered by a stylish oriental pagoda. Immediately over the Spring is painted in an artistic manner on a marble slab a picture of the open Bible, with the following quotation from the Holy Writ: "Bethesda—A pool at Jerusalem where an angel went down at certain seasons and troubled the water; whosoever then first after the troubling of the water, stepped in, was made whole of whatsoever disease he had." As a certain man was there who had an infirmity thirty and eight years. 5th chap. St. John 2d to 5th verses."

Below is an ANALYSIS OF THE WATER by Prof. C. R. Chandler, of Columbia College, N. Y.

In one U. S. or wine gallon of 231 inches there are:

Chloride of Sodium	1.100 grains
Sulphate of Potash	0.454
Sulphate of Magnesia	0.454
Bicarbonate of Lime	17.025
Bicarbonate of Magnesia	12.585
Bicarbonate of Soda	0.025
Phosphate of Soda	0.125
Alumina	0.125
Organic matter	1.995
Total	35.710 grains

There are at present many visitors here from the south to spend the summer and get the benefit of this "all-healing" water. Accommodations for visitors and invalids are ample and comfortable. Hotels and private boarding houses are numerous. The Fountain Spring House, the largest hotel here, is a magnificent stone structure, capable of entertaining four hundred people, and is first class in all its appointments. Rates from \$2.50 to \$4 per day, but good boarding can be had at the less pretentious hotels and boarding houses from five to ten dollars a week. Just outside the village is located the State Industrial or Reform School for boys. At present there are about 400 pupils who are taught the different branches of industry to perfection. The school is prospering under the excellent training of Supt. Putnam and his corps of obliging and attentive assistants. Thinking I have said enough concerning Waukegan, I will close. More soon.

W. A. H.

## A Moving Palace.

This is truly an age of wonders, and among them are, talking by lightning, walking on air, riding on the wings of the wind, and transferring, as it were, a whole orchestra over hundreds of miles of wire. There are no greater than the rapidity of travel on the railroads; however, as the hurrying of trains every day shows, there is always new conveniences and improvements in the manner of travel which add greatly to the comfort of those who are journeying. One of the latest, though it has been in use some time, is the Pullman Hotel Car, where one is always "at home," and can walk, talk, sleep, or be chosen. Go down to the Chicago & North-Western depot any evening, or any morning, and you will see the moving palace. The Pullman Hotel Cars were put on the Chicago & North-Western Railway about the first of July, last year, and they have since been in unquestioned and decided success. The cars are beautiful, and a person can get aboard at Chicago in the morning and ride through to Council Bluffs without leaving the car, and still have all the convenience of any of the great hotels. They are the European plan. "You pay only for what you get." If you have never seen them, it will pay you to go down to the depot some evening and go through the train.—*Cedar Rapids (Ia.) Daily Republican, March 19, 1878.*

In these Hotel Cars the meals are a *la carte*—you pay for what you get, and nothing more; and this at very reasonable rates.

The managers of the company have determined to omit nothing which will add to the convenience, safety and comfort of the traveling public who favor them with their patronage; and further, they will not be eclipsed in this direction by any other railroad in the world. Hence these cars, constructed by the Pullman Palace Car Company, exclusively for the Pioneer Line, are the finest ever built.

It is not exaggeration to say that no road in the world can produce the equal to these magnificent cars, and as the average traveler wants the best of everything that can be had, he must of necessity use this line in his trans-continental trip.

The charges for berths in these Hotel Cars are the same (no higher) as are made in the more common Sleeping Car, but the traveler using one of these palatial hotels is given much more worth for his money than he can get on any other line.

Remember! Pullman Hotel Cars are now running regularly between Chicago and Council Bluffs, on the Denver and California Express Trains of the Chicago & Northwestern Railway. West-bound, they leave Chicago daily, except Sunday, (and on every third Sunday), from the Wells Street Depot, at 10:30 A. M., and arrive at Council Bluffs next morning. East-bound, they leave Council Bluffs at 5:30 P. M., daily, except Saturday, (and on every third Saturday), and reach Chicago the next afternoon.

Be in mind! No other road runs Pullman Hotel Cars, Pullman Dining Cars, or any other form of Hotel, Dining, or Restaurant Cars between Chicago and the Missouri River. On no other road can you get all the meals you require between Chicago and Omaha without leaving the car, you start in. This is the only line that has through eating cars of any sort.

Mr. Amos Westwood and wife returned to the city last Saturday after a three years absence, most of the time in England. Mr. W. is a portrait painter by profession and one of his subjects in visiting England was to advance himself in his art. He expects to settle down to business in our midst.

The Hinge Factory will shut down in a few days, for the usual summer vacation.

## A SELLER of ready made clothing in

Clarkburg commences an address to the

public in the last Telegram after this

manner: "Gentlemen of Harrison county,

I come forward again and speak to

you with a true heart. This is almost

equal to that other man who said friends,

Romans and countrymen, &amp;c.

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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

## DROWNED.

On Thursday evening, June 13, 1878, at

Wheeling, W. Va., Willie Carothers, son

of W. H. Carothers. He is 11 years old, small

in stature, and has red hair. Was dressed

in blue jacket, grey pants, white shirt and

laced shoes. A liberal reward will be paid

for the recovery of his body.

Jels OTT, HALL &amp; CO.

FLOOR AND TABLE

OIL CLOTHS,

OF ALL WIDTHS.

ZINK &amp; MOREHEAD'S,

FURNITURE AND CARPET ROOMS,

1117 MAIN STREET.

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PRETTY,

COOL,

EASY,

DURABLE,

CHEAP.

New stock just in. Call and see them.

FRIEND &amp; SON,

1083 MAIN STREET.

A GOOD ASSORTMENT OF

Single and Folding Bed Lounges,

Always on Hand and Made to Order, at

ARBENZ &amp; CO'S,

FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKING HOUSES,

1083 MAIN STREET AND 3005 JACOB ST.

SHOE BOXES.

FOOTRESTS, &amp;c.

Made up in any style.

C. MENDEL, BOOTH &amp; CO.

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BALLOONS,

FIREWORKS,

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TORPEDOES,

PISTOLS,

CAPS, &amp;c.

Just received.

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1319 MARKET ST.

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WIER, REYNOLDS &amp; HICKMAN,

MARBLE WORKERS,

AND DEALERS IN

American and Scotch Granite,

No. 1608 Market Street, 2nd door above the

Postoffice.

Jels

Monuments, Tablets and Furniture Work

on Hand and Made to Order. Hearth

Stones Constantly on Hand.

Jels

MONT ALTO HOUSE.

This New Summer Resort is situated at Hart-

manville, on the top of Allegheny Mountain, in

Mineral County, West Virginia, 15 miles from Key-

stone, Pa. It is a beautiful and healthy place,

with a beautiful view of the Allegheny River and

the surrounding country. The road from that place is fine,

well graded and affords a view of Grand and

Picturesque Mountain Scenery.

Located along the Northwestern Turnpike. We

have pleasant drives and walks, and a fine

view of the Allegheny River and the surrounding

country. The resort is well equipped with

Trout Fishing and Game.

In abundance. This place cannot be excelled for

health and pure mountain air, being about 3,000

feet above tide water.—The thermometer seldom

exceeding 75 degrees in

The Extreme Heat of Summer.

As a resort for invalids, Mount Alto has no

superior. Invalids suffering with Hay Fever find

almost immediate relief. The site is selected as

one of the most favorable for health and

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